

The Allied Security Operations Group Antrim Michigan Forensics Report draws conclusions from thin evidence and descriptions of software Antrim County does not own, for versions of the software that are not compatible with the version of the voting system Antrim County owns and would require hardware Antrim County does not have.

- Claims of impropriety through software adjudication in the Election Management Software are not relevant, as Antrim County does not use the software application in question, and does not have compatible systems, mainly the for this adjudication software, mainly the ImageCast Central Tabulator.
- Implications that a lack of forensic logs for processes that Antrim County does not and cannot use are evidence of an untrustworthy process are unsupported. If Antrim Co does not and cannot use software Adjudication, the lack of digital logs for software adjudication is to be expected.
- Suggesting that scanned ballots that were designated, or alerted, for further review is evidence of an abnormally high “error rate” is false and misleading. When hand-marked paper ballots are scanned by a machine, the machine will alert election officials to things like write-in voting, damaged ballots, overvotes, undervotes, and stray marks.
- Speculation of that any findings reflect that Ranked Choice Voting may have been enabled is not supportable when the systems in question in Antrim County, Dominion Voting System’s (DVS) Democracy Suite (D-Suite) 5.5 do not have that Ranked Choice Voting capability – the screenshot provided is for D-Suite 5.11.

The report also demonstrates a callous misunderstanding of the actual current voting system certification process to the US Election Assistance Commission’s Voluntary Voting System Guidelines, a misunderstanding of elections infrastructure as critical infrastructure, and posits non-existent provisions within the Help America Vote Act.

Most importantly, voters in Antrim County, Michigan, voted on paper ballots. Those records are being reviewed and recounted, by hand. This verification, independent of the software and hardware systems in question, will be most indicative of the trustworthiness of the systems.